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ENGINEERS VISIT N. C. G. V. DISTRICT

FORTY MEMBERS OF THE SAN FRANCISCO INSTITUTE HERE

The visit of the San Francisco section of the Ameriian Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, which was climaxed in a dinner at the Empire Country Club Saturday evening was voted a success by all who had the pleasure of attending

More than forty members of the Institute from San Francisco were taken under-ground at the various mines where they inspected the underground workings. The afternoon was spent in visiting surface workings of various operating property in the Nevada City-Grass Valley district.

At 6:30 the dinner, at which one hundred twenty-eight mining men and guests sat down was served by the Bret Harte Catering Service. The arrangements were under the general direction of William Simkins, assisted by George Starr and F. W. Nobs. The program was under the direction of F. W. Bradley, one of the foremost mining men of the state.

W. D. Johnston, Jr., geologist of the United Geological Survey gave a talk on the Geology of the Grass Valley Mining District. Mr. Johntson has spent the past two summers at work on the vein system of this district, Johnson's remarks covered a portion of the work he has been doing and expounded some original ideas on the vein system of the area.

James Bradley, son of Chairman F. Bradley, who is superintendent of the Spanish mine, near Washington, read an original paper on the "Mining and Milling Operations of the Spanish Mine."

An interesting talk was given about the original Sixteen to One Mine and the Tightner.

Errol MacBoyle, president of the Mining Association of California, asked the co-operation of the Institute in the work of the Association to secure equitable taxation and lower compensation.

O. McCraney, manager of the Murchie mine told of the promising character of that property since the renewal of operations in 1927.

Otto Schiffner, manager of the Hoge mine, gave some figures on the production of that property, stating several hundred tons of ore sent to the Selby smelter averaged $90 a ton whole some lesser grade ore ran $46.90..

Fred M. Miller, prominent Grass Valley engineer, closed the meeting with his "Gold Production of Nevada County," in which he gave the figures for the county from the earliest gold discovery to the present day with comparative figures of other counties.

Those attending the dinner meeting were:

Outside Districts: Ash, F. W. Bradley, Worthen Bradley, P. R. Bradley, Bullard, Bjorge, Caragrande, Barber, Weshah, Dolman, Fulduer, Eye, Gahl, Holland, Hodggins, Granilli, Hamilton, Hersam, Hanks, Jenkins, Judd, Jantzen, Longtin, Legerstram, Laizure, MacCoy, Neal and Fanet, Maici, Morriss, Walker, Nelson, Plate, J. G. Parmelee, Sizer, Stenger, Roy Tremoureux, Weck, Young, H. A. Fortia, Turner.

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Miss Helen Jones is spending a few days in Alta visiting friends.

MUCH PROGRESS MADE PENNSYLVANIA MINE

Four years ago four men started working in the Pennsylvania mine, which is one of the Newmont properties.

Today there are over 100 men employed taking out the gold-bearing quartz.

They are working on a fissure vein in which the hanging and footwalls are granite. In most instances gold is found in slate and serpentine formations or porphyry.

This mine is 2500 feet deep. The ore is being taken out at different levels in the mine and has proven so satisfactory that they have not gone any deeper. The vein or ledge has varied, starting at 8 inches and going to 4 feet in width.

One of the company's properties, the North Star, is down over 8,000 feet being over 3000 feet below sea level. It is this mine that has proven that gold is found at great depth in Nevada county mines.

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P T A HAVE BUSY WEEK OF ACTIVITY

A meeting of the executive board of the Nevada City Parent Teachers Association last Saturday afternoon was the beginning of a busy ten-day period of activity for that newly organized association. At the meeting last Saturday which was held at the home of Mrs. F. A. Elliot, treasurer, the coming events were outlined and planned. They included an address on Tuesday morning by Paul Rieger on "Child's Welfare," a meeting of the association on Friday afternoon, a food sale on Saturday morning, the public reception to the teachers of the schools on Monday evening and a district meeting of the P. T. A. next Tuesday in Grass Valley.

PAUL RIEGER SPEAKS

Under the auspices of the P. T. A. Paul Rieger, a manufacturer of San Francisco spoke to a group of men and women at the Methodist Church at 11:30 a. m. Tuesday morning. About 25 came out to hear this well-known Rotarian in spite of the inconvenient hour and felt well repaid for the message Mr. Rieger had to offer in regard to the child. He is a great believer in childhood and does not like to see the youth of today maligned by the elders.

P. T. A. MEETING

On Friday afternoon there will be a P. T. A. meeting held at the Washington grammar school. This is a special meeting and was called by the president because so many had asked to join since the last meeting. There will be a special program of musical numbers as well as the business.

FOOD SALE

On Saturday the P. T. A. will hold a food sale in the Richards building on Pine Street.

TEACHERS RECEPTION

On Monday evening, September 21, 1931, the Parent Teachers Association in conjunction with the Women's Improvement Club are planning a reception to the teachers of the Nevada City schools to be held at the Elks hall at 8 p. m. A program of varied numbers has been arranged for the enjoyment of the teachers and guests. Parents are urged to attend and the public in general is invited. Refreshments will be served.

DISTRICT MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Third District Parent Congress Parent Congress Parent Teachers Association held in Grass Valley Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1931. At this time Nevada City P. T. A. will be proud to report the wonderful progress made in the month since they organized.

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MINING PERSONALS

L. F. Lorenz and associate, Mr. Nonig of Los Angeles were visitors at the Nugget office this last week. They were up looking over their mining property, the Twin Quartz Mine at Camptonville, preparatory to opening up this winter.

Alex Wise has taken an option on the Beebe Mine in Placer county and expects to put on a mill to handle two or three tons of ore a day.

HUGE OIL FIRE AT GRASS VALLEY

10,000 gallons of distillate, crude, street and allied oils for the Alpha Hardware and Supply company stored in concrete tanks at the Nevada County County Narrow Gauge Railroad yards, caught fire on Wednesday morning about 9 o'clock and burnt for more than ten hours with an estimate damage of approximately $10,000.

This was said to be one of the most spectacular fires in many years. Attempts were made to smother the blaze with Foamite but the thousand pounds available proved insufficient and the two hundred pounds pounds more rushed from Sacramento arrived too late to do any good.

The loss was uncovered by insurance. The oil was stored in four compartment storage tanks and was protected on the open side by a 12-inch reinforced concrete wall. It was feared for a time that the concrete wall would give way and allow the burning oil to flow down the hill to the Grass Valley Steam Laundry and into Wolf Creek, where it would have done considerable damage, but fortunately and thanks to the well constructed wall this fear was not realized. The heavy smoke formed a black cloud over Grass Valley for many hours.

The oil in the tanks was being heated for use on the Nevada City streets. The street improvements are forced to be held up on account of this fire.

This is the third loss by fire for the Alpha Hardware Company in recent years. The Alpha Nardware store in Nevada City burnt in 1928 and the oil tank located near the Gerrard Fruit Packing Plant burned to the ground about this time last year.

The only casualty in connection occurred when Geo. Calahanan, the first to discover the fire attempted to close the trap door on the corrugated roof covering the tanks and was severely burned about the hands as the roof had become heated from the burning oil.

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RESIDENTS RETURN FROM LOS ANGELES FIESTA

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Kilroy and son, Billie, returned Sunday night from Los Angeles. They reported a most enjoyable trip. They appeared in the Admission Day Parade, which was put on under the auspices of the N. S. G. W. and N. D. G. W. The float was entered by the Fred H. Greely Assembly ..... S. G. W. They represented the Donner Monument and so well did they carry out their parts that many of the spectators thought them to be statutes rather than humans portraying the part. This necessitated their standing motionless and holding the difficult positions for a period of three and one-half hours, which was the duration of the parade. They received a great deal of applause all along the line of march. Mrs. Frank Davies and son, Craig, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Kilroy to Los Angeles and returned with them.

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H. M. Cooper, district manager of the P. G. & E., spent last week-end here visiting with his mother, Mrs. Harvey Cooper.

N. C. MINES NOW CONSOLIDATED

Word was received by the Nugget from A. Gordon Nicolson of the Nevada County Mines corporation that all properties heretofore operated by the Federal Consolidated Mines Corporation, Ltd., have been acquired by that corporation through the purchase of all interests of F. H. Arnsburger.

The Arnsburger interests controlled the St. Louis, Jackson, Constitution, Great Eastern, Great Western, Cayne, St. Louis Extension and Sunset Claims, will now be merged with the Federal Loan, Lecompton, and Bellfontaine mines on Deer Creek, two miles east of Nevada City.

This signalizes the second phase in the program of the J. M. Hoff organization in consolidating holdings on Deer Creek and means that these properties will now be operated through a single management, in the Nevada County Mines Corporation.

The retirement of Arnsburger from the Federal Consolidated was effected through the purchase by the Hoff interests of 65,000 shares held by Arnsburger in the Federal corporation and 25,000 shares in the Nevada County and the taking up of notes and other interests, the consideration for which was not stated.

Hoff, as managing director of the Nevada County Mines corporation, will continue in charge of all operations. He will be assisted by the following staff: Henry Davison, general manager; Harry James and Richard Lile, superintendents, and Solon Chatfield in charge of the St. Louis

Nicholson added: "We have consolidated the properties of the two corporations in the interests of greater efficiency and less duplication of executive effort. It was the logical thing to do as agreed by all concerned, as all the properties join each other and rock can be milled from any one of the group at the St. Louis mill. Personnel will be maintained with little change and our winter porgram calls for full operation at the Bellefontaine, St. Louis and Constitution properties, with development work to be pushed at the Federal Loan and Lecompton."

Nenry J. Rogers of Nevada City acted as the attorney for the Nevada County Mines Corporation in the consolidation, and Daniel Rygel of Los Angeles for the Los Angeles interests in the Federal Consolidated.

Henry Davison stated that work of installing equipment on the Bellefontaine would go right ahead.

Machinery is being installed on the Lecompton and Federal Loan preparatory to pumping them out and beginning active development work therein.

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INDIAN RESIDENT OF CAMPOODIE DIES

Mrs. Nellie Yimi, a resident of the Indian Campoodie, died there early Saturday morning, age 62 years. She is survived by her husband, Richard Yimi, who is totally blind, and one son, Robert. The body was buried at the Indian cemetery near Colfax according to the Indian rites. W. R. Jefford and Son had charge of the arrangements, Mrs. Yimi was among the last of her tribe.

Aw Gee!

MURCHIE SHUTS DOWN TO ALLOW FOR REPAIRS

The Murchie mine shut down Wednesday and Thursday to allow time for the general overhauling of the hoisting machinery. New steel cut gears and new clutches were installed and the hoisting put into first-class condition.

The reservoir above the mine was cleaned out and the capacity doubled by further excavations. Two tractors worked 24 hour a day to accomplish this work.

The shutdown was planned for Sunday but Manager O. E. McCraney felt the men would enjoy having the first days of the hunting season free so the repair work was pushed ahead a few days to allow the sportsmen this special pleasure.

The regular work at the mine was resumed today. The mill is now running at 150 ton per day capacity and working eight-hour shifts.

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SENATOR SHORTRIDGE PLANS VISIT HERE

Word has been received here that Senator Samuel Shortridge contemplates a visit to Nevada City some time before returning to his senatorial duties at Washington.

Nevada City was one of the senator's stamping grounds in his youth. When a young man he acted as a blacksmith's helper and helped to fashion miner's candle holders. He refers to this period of his life quite frequently and is proud of the fact htat he worked with his hands.

His many friends in this section are looking forward with pleasure the visit of the senator.

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PEARDALE RODEO IS GREAT SUCCESS

Approximately one thousand people attended the htird annual Peardale Rodeo last Sunday and it was voted the most successful yet held.

The amusement features included a baseball game in the morning, a barbecue at noon and bronco-busting and steer-riding and dance in the hall.

George Belderback and Ed Horton were the artists at steer riding. Herb Branholm of Nevada City won the first prize for the bareback riding, with Everett Hunt and Red Farrel following. All were thrown and received quite severe punishment for their riding. In the bronlo busting division Red Farrel was frst, Jack Barney second and Herb Granholm third.

Chef Parson and assistant Tobiassen prepared the delicious barbecue beef for the luncheon which was liberally patronized by the guests who attended the rodeo.

The base ball game, the Nevada City Blues, won from the Tigers 10 to 4. The Annual Peardale Rodeo is becoming more and more popular and each year some improvement is made in the plans.

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CONDONS WIN IN BOUNDARY SUIT

Miss L. H. Condon, special administratrix of the estate of Thomas Brock vs. the Grass Valley Boundary Mines Company, won the action in the Municipal Court last Monday with Judge Golden sitting on the bench. In the action Miss Condon asked for $1000 damages and won relief for reported refusal to admit a stockholder of the Boundary Mines Company to examine the property which is located in Grass Valley. The action also ordered the Corporation to remove Joseph Anderson as president and M. J. Brock as Secretary-Manager as officials for the company. The judgment will undoubtedly be appealed by the Grass Valley officers.

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N. I. D.

The vote of the Nevada Irrigation District on the refinancing was five to one in favor of the plan for a "way out." Only two precincts out of 10 returned an adverse vote for the plan. This is believed to be the beginning of a new era of satisfaction adjustment on the part of the district. Manager Dubrow feels a keen satisfaction as a result of the vote.

HIGHWAY BOOST LUNCHEON HELD

CHAIRMAN KELLY GREETED BY INTERESTED CITIZENS

After the visit of a committee of interested Grass Valley and Nevada City citizens to the office of the highway commission last Saturday, Chairman Earl E. Kelly came to Grass Valley to make a tour of the roads and to meet with the committee of citizens. He was astonished at the more than 30 guests who greeted him at the luncheon at the Bret Harte Inn last Saturday afternoon on so short a notice, not only in hte number but in the representative group which were at the luncheon. He was impressed by the keen interest taken in the road, which has for many years been one of the prime interests in the minds of the local business men and citizens. This is the first visit of a representatve of the Rolph administration since the inauguration and he brought the greetings of the Chief Executive to the people of Grass Valley and Nevada City and the rural sections.

While no funds are now available for the completion of the unit which will join the Victory Highway, Chairman Kelly gave assurance that in the compiling of the next biennium budget funds would be allocated for the completion of this highway and that it would be built as early as practicable.

While it is against the principal of the commission to repair roads, which must in the near future undergo re-alignment, Chairman Kelly said that as the road is so badly in need of repair the sum of two thousand dollars of the maintenance fund could be used to put it in shape for winter travel. He left after the luncheon with a party of local citizens on an inspection tour of the road.

Earl Kelly, whose home is in Redding, is no stranger to this section. He was not ashamed to tell the group of business people that he earned most of his way through college and several of his summers were spent in this section in working in Lake Spaulding, Bear Valley, etc.

Mayor M. J. Brock acted as chairman of the meeting and called upon the following, who responded with short talks: J. E. Taylor, J. C. Tyrrel, G. J. Rector, W. E. Parsons, Mrs. Elsie P. Willoughby, M. Henry Argall, R. J. Bennetts, William Durbrow, George L. Jones, Earl Lee Kelly and Eric Cullenward, Secretary of the tSate Highway Commission.

Mayor Brock presented Earl Kelly with a crystal nugget pin as a token of appreciation from the members of the committee who went to Sacramento on Thursday, for his quick response to their invitation. Mr. Kelly was quite overcome with the gif and was grateful for the honor shown him. In answer to the words of appreciation Mr. Kelly stated there were seventy-five thousand miles of State highway and that he would try and cover in the next two years every mile of highway under state control.

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IMPROVEMENT CLUB CONTINUES GOOD WORK

The Nevada City Women's Improvement Club held their first meeting of the season last Monday night at Brand's Studio. Mrs. P. G. Scadden, president, presiding.

They plan for a fall season of purposeful activities and Monday night's meeting outlined their work.

The library committee reported that many improvements had been added in the public library, which is the principal project of the club. Twenty new lockers are to be installed in the High School, ten for the boys and ten for the girls. A report was given on the success of the flower show, which was held last month and letters of appreciation were sent to all non-members of the Club who assisted.

Plans for the coming season include a card party for early in October as a benefit for the library, a lecture by a prominent speaker in the near future, and a class study of international relations, which is open to any interested person.

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COZY CORNER

Few people realize the value of the local paper to a community outside of the local news which the editor gathers and prints in the columns. The local newspaper is in a sense the communication between the lives of the community and the outside world.

This is particularly true of the Nevada City Nugget which enjoys one of the widest circulations of any other weekly in the State. It has been bringing the news to the world for the past five years of the progress and development of Nevada City and Nevada County. It has become the center of mining interest in Nevada City. Hardly a day goes by that a telephone or personal call or communication of some kind does not come into the office in regards to mining properties. But the Nugget service does not end among the mining property. People who desire positions seek the Nugget office for information of many kinds. This service is gladly and cheerfully given without thought of recompense and many times the editor or one of our assistants are required to take a whole hour or more of their precious time to this sort of service.

However, the Nugget must depend on local merchants and local people to support an institution to carry on this important work. Like any organization, it requires money to carry on its work. The state and county recognizes the importance of the Nugget and the local merchants should give going out from the Nugget office.

We are grateful to the faithful advertisers who have stood with us at all times, but their number is not in proportion with size of the town. The community is judged to a certain extent by its newspaper and has no cause to be ashamed of the paper going out from the Nugget office.

The editor has received many compliments for the Special Boost Number which was issued early in September. The merchants and business men in the community were most generous in their support in that issue and it is hoped to have more regular advertisers so that a larger paper will be possible.

ROLPH ADMINISTRATION

The Rolph Administration was greatly endeared to the hearts of the Nevada County politicians by the visit of Earl Kelly as representing the Governor as well as himself on his visit here last Saturday.

Earl Taylor in his short talk feciously remarks that he had been a poor guesser at the last election. He, as well as the other members of the committee were assured it made no difference whom they supported at the last election everyone rceived the same considration from the Rolph Administration.

The committee of Grass Valley-Nevada City citizens which were before the highway commission last Saturday were deeply impressed by the friendly manner in which they were received and made mention of the fact.

To this Earl Kelly replied that the Governor Rolph administration was of friendliness to all of California. Governor Rolph personally and his commissioners go about the State preaching the gospel of friendliness and cheerfulness.

Governor Rolph's favorite song is "Smiles," the title of which seems to be his motto, which he practices as well as preaches.

THIS DISTRICT FORTUNATE

With the U. S. facing what is predicted to be one of the worst winters from an economic standpoint that the U. S. has ever faced, the Nevada City-Grass Valley District is particularly fortunate in having its large and steady payroll. With the wage scale uncut and prices on commodoties set at a low level, this district has little to fear from a hard winter, but an unfortunate situation arises in that unemployed from other sections hearing of this condition flock to the Twin Cities where there is not enough employment for all. As a result they become a drug upon the communities which are forced to care for these unfortunate people, until they become a burden upon the community.

TAHOE NATIONAL NOT CLOSED TO HUNTING

The Tahoe National Forest will not be closed to hunting.

After due consideration and realizing the fact that we are now at the peak of one of the worst fire seasons California has experienced in its history, we have decided not to close this national forest to hunting. We have had many requests to close the forest but the forest officials believe that true sportsmen will cooperate with the rangers to prevent fires from starting and will warn careless hunters of the rues of the game:

1. Not to smoke except at places of habitation or in improved campgrounds. Leave your cigarettes in your machine or at camp. Obey the county ordinances, state laws and federal regulations in regard to smoking or throwing burned tobacco or inflammable material out of moving automobiles. See that your smoke or match is out before dropping it. Never smoke while hunting; you are too liable to forget your cigarette when you jump that buck.

2. See that your camp fire is in a safe place and before leaving camp put it out with water. Preferably, camp at an improved campground.

3. Register at the nearest ranger station and receive a registration sticker. This will aid the forest officer in locating lost hunters or assisting in cases of accident.

4 .Be sure it has horns before you shoot. Many hunters are killed each year from too quick shooting at a movement in the brush; also, it is a buck you are after, not a doe. It will spoil your hunting trip if you mistake a man, horse, cow or doe for that buck.

5. If you see a fire starting, try to put it out. If it is too large for you to put out, go to the nearest telephone and notify the nearest forest officer. If a fire occurs near the area where you are hunting, be a good sport and go to the assistance of the fire fighters. It will show a cooperative spirit that will be appreciated by the forest service.

6. Do not make a mistake and hunt within the FoFresthill state game refuge. If you are not sure of the boundaries, ask the local forest officer. Hunters going into Five Lakes and Hell Hole, Soda Springs and Wabena creek, Duncan canyon and Robertson Flat regions will be close to the boundaries of this game refuge and should be careful not to cross those boundaries.

The Tahoe National forest will remain open for hunting during this hunting season providing no fire emergency arises. Help to keep it open by being careful yourself and seeing that others are careful. Persistent carelessness should be reported to the nearest forest officer. Help the forest officers to prevent forest fires and by so doing keep the Tahoe National forest open for hunting during the full hunting season of 1931.

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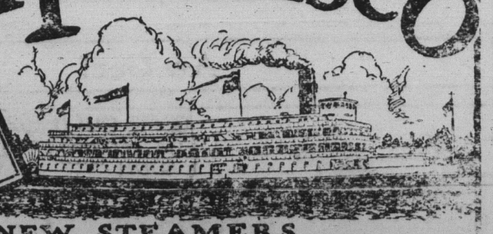
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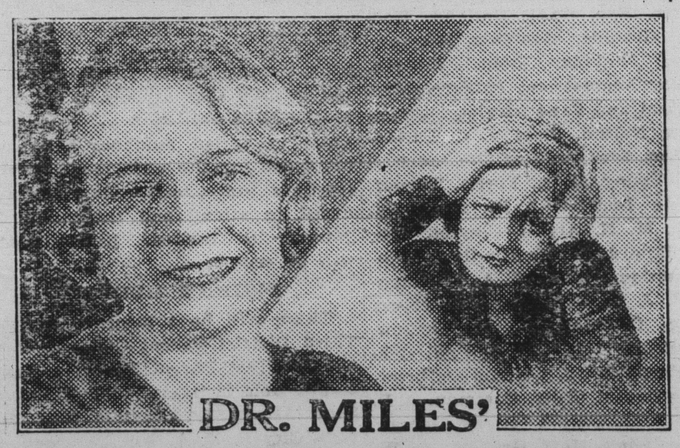
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INSPECTION TRIP OF U. S. ARMY BOARD ENGINEERS

Further interest in the water problems of California is being shown by the federal government. An inspection trip through the state will be made this week by the United States army board of engineers of rivers and harbors.

All projects affecting navigation, navigable rivers, and flood control, and all harbor projects come under the jurisdiceitn of this important federal board. All such projects must receive the approval and recommendation of the board before being acted upon favorably by the chief of engineers and the war department.

On the official trip are Brigadier General Herbert Deakyne, member of board of engineers; Colonel Edward H. Schulz, member of board of engineers; Lieutenant Colonel Warren T. Nannum, member board of engineers; Captain Albert B. Jones, corps of engineers U. S. army; Major J. R. D. Matheson, member of California debris commission; Captain W. A. Wood, corps of engineers U. S. army; C. I. Grimm, principal engineer.

Colonel Thomas M. Robin, division of the war department will escort the army officials through the state.

Colonel Walter E. Garrison, director of public works, State Engineer Edward Hyatt, Deputy State Engineer A. D. Edmonston and Messrs G. H. Jones, Ray Matthew, T. B. Waddell, and R. L. Jones of the division of water resources are state officials who will accompany the party on all or part of the inspection trip.

The board of engineers will arrive in Bakersfield by train on Tuesday the 15th. Here they will be met by the state officials and shown the major points of interest of the water problems and needs of the Great Central valley. From Bakersfield the party will journey northward to Redding. They will be shown the present intensive development now throughout the San Joaquin and the Sacramento valleys and delta, the water needs of the various areas and location of the units of the state water plan. Especial attention will be taken of the problems involved in the areas of deficient water supply in the Upper San Joaquin valley and of the salinity problem in the Sacramento and San Joaquin delta.

The board of engineers will also inspect the flood control and navigation problems of the Sacramento valley and will be shown weirs, bypasses and levee system of the flood control project.

The route of the party passes on through Famosa, Porterville, Lindsay, Exeter, the foothill district, Centerville and Clovis to Friant, and closely parallels the proposed location of the San Joaquin and Kern county canal, passing through areas where highly developed farms have been abandoned through lack of sufficient water supply. At Friant the dam site of the Friant reservoir will be examined. The party will then drive to Fresno for lunch and for conference with local representatives of the irrigation interests and members of Governor Rolph's citizens water commission and of the legislative water resources committee residing in the upper San Joaquin valley.

In the afternoon the party will visit Mendota, passing through the west side irrigated lands to Dos Palos where they will cross to east side and inspect the Merced, Turlock, Modesto and South San Joaquin irrigation districts, spending the night in Stockton.

On Wednesday the 16th a breakfast will be given at Stockton, attended by represetnatives of the Lower San Joaquin valley and the delta and by members of the legislative water resources committee. After the breakfast an inspection will be made of work under way on the Stockton deep water channel. The party will make the trip on the United tSates engineer corps' launch and will examine conditions in the delta from Stockton to Rio Vista.

Leaving Rio Vista they will motor up the river road through the Sacramento delta to Sacramento. From Sacramento the party will continue along the Sacramento river inspecting the Sacramento weir, the Fremont weir and the Yolo by-pass of the Sacramento flood control project. They will return via Davis to Sacramento for dinner and night.

They will attend a dinner meeting at the Senator hotel to discuss the water, flood and navigation problems of the Sacramento valley with members of the state reclamation board ,the Sacramento and San Joaquin Flood Control association and with prominent citizens and officials interested in these problems.

On the 17th the inspection trip will cover the Sacramento valley. The party will follow the Garden highway to Yuba City diverting to inspect the Sacramento flood control project in several places. From Yuba City they will cross through Colusa to the west side and go to Red Bluff where they will examine the Iron Canyon and Table mountain dam sites. In the afternoon the party will inspect the Kennett dam site and return to Redding for the night.

From Redding the army engineers will go to Crescent City, Eureka and San Francisco inspecting the harbor and breakwaters at Eureka. Various points of interest also will be inspected in San Francisco bay and harbor before completing their California trip.

OLD MAN MOUNTAIN MINE BEING OPENED

CISCO, Calif., Sept. 17.—Opening of the Lost Mexican mine ,about a mile west of the Carlyle mine on Old Mountain ,some eight miles north of here, by Lyman Weeks and associates of Nevada City, is arousing considerable interest on account of rich boulders that have been found in the property and the belief that it was worked for rich ore in the early days by the Spaniards. Weeks and his associates have secured an interest in the property from Harry D. Ramsay of Berkeley and John Ogle of Cisco.

Weeks and his crew of men are now opening up an ancient tunnel that is believed to be in about 100 feet. Several years ago Ramsay and Ogle were driven out of the tunnel by a flow of quicksand that moved at the rate of eight feet an hour. In the sand were found boulders of ore, some of which assayed $4,240 a ton. A half ton of boulders was sold for $1,300.

Ramsay was formerly owner of the Carlyle mine, which is now owned by the Metal Products Holding Corporation. This concern has in the past year spent $100,000 on the property in new equipment, tunnel development and opening up ore. Two veins have already been crosscut and the work done along them shows approximately 100,000 tons of ore!

ORE REDUCTION RESUMED AT THE ARGO STAMP MILL

SONORA, Calif., Sept. 18.—Ore reduction has been resumed in the three-stamp mill on the Argo mine, nine miles east of Coulterville, being operated under lease and bond by C. H. Holbrook, Jr., of San Francisco and Charles A. Gillis of Sonora. Underground work is at present being confined to the sinking of a winze at the end of a 200-foot south drift on the bottom or 100-foot level of an incline shaft. Cutting of the winze station has been completed and the sinking has gained a depth of 15 feet below the drift level. The ore shoot which the winze will develop has been proven on the level named for a length of 120 feet. It shows an average width of two feet and in previous milling operations has plated $2 5a ton in gold, it is asserted.

J. M. McDonald and E. M. Findley of Los Angeles have acquired, under lease and bond, from Cassius Swerer of Tuttletown the Arbona property, near that town, and are preparing to resume its development, after an idleness of more than 20 years. It has a 600-foot incline shaft on a three to four foot ledge with laterals at the 100, 200 and 400-foot points, on which ore of varying value has been exposed in past operations.

W. M. Brady of San Francisco has taken over, under lease and bond from John Porath the Porath property on Bull Creek, 12 miles northeast of Coulterville. The incline shaft on the ground, down 80 feet, on an 18inch vein which plates $40 a ton, it is stated, will be continued to a greater depth in the immediate future.

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JOSEPHINE HAMPTON and ALBERT E. HAMPTON, her husband, Plaintiffs,

vs.

BERYL AYER DOW, CHARLES W. DOW, WILLIAM THOMAS, also known as WM. THOMAS, MARY THOMAS. CARROL MCA. THOMAS, JAMES CHAMPION, MARY J. CHAMPION, PEARL DEVORE, also known as HELENA P. DEVORE JOHN GREBENS, AND ALSO ALL OTHER PERSONS UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, ESTATE, LIEN OR INTEREST IN THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT, ADVERSE TO PLAINTIFFS' OWNERSHIP, OR ANY CLOUD UPON PLAINTIFFS' TITLE THERETO, Defendants.

No. 5958

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada.

W. E. WRIGHT, Attorney for Plaintiffs, Nevada City, California.

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You and each of you are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, within ten (10) days after the service upon you of this summons, if served within this county, or within thirty (30) days, if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiffs will take judgment against you for any money or damage demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract or they will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The said action is brought by the above-named plaintiffs against the above-named defendants, and each of them, to quiet the plaintiffs' title to the land and real property described in the complaint on file in the said action and hereinafter particularly described, and to determine the adverse claims of the above named defendants, and each of them, and of all unknown persons to, and clouds upon the title to the said real property and the whole thereof pursuant to the provisions of Sections 749, 750 and 751 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, and that said real property is situate, lying and being in the City of Grass Valley, County of Nevada, State of California, and is described as follows, to-wit:

All that portion of the Lot numbered Six (6) in Block numbered Five (5) of the Town (now City) of Grass Valley, as said lot and block are designated upon the official map of the said Town of Grass Valley made by Samuel Bethell in the year 1872, described as follows, assumed Magnetic Variation 18° 30' East, viz:

Commencing at the South East corner of the said Lot No. 6, thence South 79° 42' West along the southerly boundary of said Lot No. 6, a distance of 258 30|100 feet to the southwest corner of said Lot No. 6; thence along the west boundary of said Lot No. 6, North 35° 47' West 44 78|100 feet; thence North 24° 22' West 16 50|100 feet; thence North 79° 36' East 281 50|100 feet to a point on the East line of said Lot No. 6; thence along the East line of said Lot No. 6 South 10° 23' East 57 feet to the place or beginning, EXCEPTING AND RESERVING therefrom all lands and all rights conveyed by that certain deed, dated July 20th, 1909, executed by J. M. Thomas and Mary J. Champion to Lloyd P. Larue and recorded in the office of the County Recorded of the County of Nevada in Book "100" of Deeds, pages 377 et seq.

The object of said action is to obtain the judgment of the Court against said defendants and each one of them, known and unknown, as follows:

That all adverse claims to, and all clouds upon the title of plaintiff to said real property or any and every part thereof be determined by the judgment and decree of said court, and that it be decreed that plaintiffs are the sole owners in fee of said real property and the whole of said real property herein described, being the same real property described in the complaint of plaintiffs on file herein and that plaintiffs are in the possession of the property and entitled to the possession of said real property, and the whole thereof, and that the defendants have not, and that no one of said defendants, including the unknown persons made defendants herein, have any right, title, estate, lien or interest of any kind whatsoever, in or on the said real property or any part thereof, and that such defendants, and each and every one of them, known and unknown, be forever debarred, enjoined and restrained from making or asserting any claim whatsoever in or to said real property, or any part thereof, adverse to plaintiffs, and that the title of the said plaintiffs in and to the said real property and the whole thereof be forever quieted and adjudged good and valid, and for such other and further additional order, judgment, decree and general relief as is meet and proper in the premises, and for costs of suit.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 21st day of July, 1931.

R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk of Said Superior Court.

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Sacramento, California, July 30, 1931.

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You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice as shown below, your answer, under oath specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

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JOHN C. ING, Register.

EDW. C. JENNINGS, Acting Register.

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ORE BUYER'S APPLICATION

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To the People of California:

I am addressing you at this time on an undebatable question that is of vital importance to each individual and every interest in California. It affects the present and future welfare and prosperity of the entire State. It is California's water problem. Nearly every section of the State has felt the effect of the water shortage that has come upon us during the long period of drought of the past several years. A real emergency exists. An equitable, constructive and immediate solution of the problem is essential to future well-being of the State. I consider it the paramount duty of the State and each citizen thereof to make every effort to bring about such a solution.

In my inaugural address to the Senate and Assembly of California in joint assembly at Sacramento on January 6, 1931, I called attention to this pressing and most important problem as follows:

"A coordinated solution of these problems has long and earnestly been sought. Surely, in California, where water is so precious, the State must devise a general unified plan for the conservation and use of its water against generations whose stewards we are.* * * * We must be sure we are right before we go ahead with any plan. Yet we should not permit any section, industry or group to languish and suffer unduly for lack of energetic action on the State's part. I stand ready as Governor to give the Legislature and the distressed localities all the assistance in my power toward finding a practicable solution of these pressing problems. We must not approach these problems in a narrow or sectional spirit. While the benefits sought may primarily affect certain localities, the evils we seek to cure have been brought into being by causes that are not local. * * * Distinctly, the duty of relieving the acute situation caused by the uneven distribution of our water resources and the growing demand on them is mainly the business of the State and not solely of the affected localities.

In conformity with my inaugural address, I have lent every assistance possible within my power to further a practicable solution of the problem. Within a month after my inauguration, I appointed a committee composed of state officials, legislative representatives and citizens familiar with water matters to confer with officials of the United tSates at Washington, D. C., as recommended by the joint federal-state water resources commission, appointed by the president and my predecesor. The specific mission of this committee was first, to arrange for the transmittal to congress and making public a report of the war department on their investigation of the Sacramento-San Joaquin valley project and, second, to arrange for a a congressional committee to visit California during summer of 1931 for the purpose of examining and becoming acquainted with the water problems of the state.

Both of these objectives were accomplished. The report of the war department has been printed and circulated. The recommendation of the chief of engineers in regard to the Kennett project was that the federal government contribute $6,000,000 to the construction of that project in the interest of navigation. During July, an important congressional committee, the House of Representatives subcommittee on appropraitions for the department of interior, spent twelve days making a study of the water needs and conditions of California and they were strongly impressed with the seriousness of the water situation. At the conclusion of the trip Chairman Murphy of the committee, very concisely expressed the thoughts of the committee as follows:

"I hope that you will start a campaign for the saving of the lives of the people of this state, the saving of their very estates, a campaign to save your state. It is just that serious in the minds of the members of our committee. I bespeak for you the hearty cooperation of every wideawake citizen of the great state of California to grapple with this thing that is creeping upon you, that may destroy you."

During the last legislature, a constitutional amendment was considered which would have authorized the carrying out of a project in the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys either through state aid alone or by both state and federal assistance and also the extending of state aid to southern California in bringing the water from the Colorado river. This proposed amendment was not passed upon by the legislature as the time was too brief for state-wide consideration of such an important measure. At that time I publicly announced that I would call a special session of the legislature to pass the necessary legislation if and when the various interests and geographical divisions of the state would reconcile their differences and be able to agree upon a practicable program of development which would be fair and just to all sections of the state.

When it became evident that the time was lacking for the preparation and consideration of such legislation and that further study was desirable and necessary, two concurrent resolutions were passed by the legislature authorizing the appointment of a joint committee by the legislature and of a citizen's commission by the governor. The members of both committee have been appointed. The primary function of the joint legislative committee, comprising fourteen members, seven from the senate and seven from the house, is to prepare and submitt such legislation as may be necessary and advisable to carry out a coordinated development of the waters of the state. The duties of the California water resources commission appointed by the governor are to study and report upon the economic and legal phases of the plan and upon proposed legislation.

I have given careful thought and serious consideration in selecting the members for the California water resources commission, and have appointed men of broad vision and of outstanding ability in public affairs who will have the best interest of the entire state in mind when considering this most important question.

I have appointed also to assist the commission, honorary committees which represent practically all interests and localities in California: Agriculture, counties, cities, irrigation and reclamation districts, labor, public utilities, state press ,state bar, state chamber of commerce, financial houses and engineers. As one of these honorary committees, I have appointed the former governors of the state resources commission to give the state the benefit of their knowledge and experience. The represetnatives of California in the United States congress have been invited to lend their assistance and furnish their valuable advice in formulating a unified plan of financing which would receive the approval of congress.

These eminent and outstanding men will contribute much of their valuable time without compensation. They will have the confidence of the public. Their sound business judgment will be invaluable in formulating a plan for the development of California's water.

I have great honor appointing my 5,677,251 fellow Californians as a committee of the whole. Your efforts and faith in California will solve our state's water problem for the future and thus change our alarms to successful contentment. I appeal to your good citizenship to make California's future safe.

The state department of public works, after ten years of study and investigation, has evolved an engineering plan for the ultimate development of the state's waters and has recommended certain units for immediate construction for the relief of certain large and important areas now in dire need of an additional supply of water. A description of its proposal is appended herewith. The report of the department to the legislature covering this proposal does not recommend, however, any method of financing nor does it cofpletely cover the economic phases.

The California water resources commission will study and report upon the engineering plan proposed by the state department of public works and other proposals, particularly as to economic, legal, legislative and financial phases to the end that a definite program be submitted for consideration by a future session of the legislature. It is my hope that such a program can be evolved and that this commission and the joint legislative committee will be able to draft such necessary legislation which can be considered favorably at a special session of the legislature for submission to the electorate at the general election in 1932.

A strong and unified program receiving the united support of the entire state must be evolved if federal assistance is to be obtained. The members of the congressional committee which recently visited California, were unanimous in the opinion that if the state would come before congress with a sound plan, backed by the citizenry of California, financial aid from the federal government would be obtainable.

Concentrated and earnest effort must be made by all to the end that California continue to progress and prosper. Therefore, I appeal to you individually and collectively for your help in working out a proper and basically sound solution to our most important and pressing problem of water which confronts our state. As your governor, I will do my part.

Sincerely and respectfully,
JAMES ROLPH,
Governor of California.

WILL DEVELOP LIMESTONE DEPOSITS AT JAMESTOWN

JAMESTOWN, Calif., Sept. 17.—(Exclusive)—The Holly Sugar company, which operates sugar refineries at several points in California, has concluded negotiations with Mrs. Maggie McCormick of Sonora for the mining on a royalty basis of a limestone deposit on her ranch, eight miles southwest of Jamestown. Surface operations have been inaugurated to determine the width of the deposit and the extraction of an inital shipment of 200 tons of the rock for experiments in the refining of sugar.

Operating under a lease and bond from V. A. Solari and J. P. Mangante, the owners, F. A. Virtue and Los Angeles associates have cleaned out and repaired a 140-foot tunnel, extended many years ago, on the Verdun property, on Mocassin creek ten miles southeast of Jamestown, and advanced it an additional 60 feet. It is the expectation that the adit should soon disclose the downward extension of an ore shoot which on the surface shows a width of eight feet, a length of more than 200 feet and yields good gold pannings, it is asserted.

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SCHOOL SAFETY WORK SAVING CHILD LIVES

With traffic accident statistics providing direct evidence of the results that are being achieved by the safety education work in reducing the number of fatalities to children, the public safety department of the California State Automobile association announces a comprehensive program for continuing this work in Northern and Central California in cooperation with police and school authorities.

Schools have opened or are about to open for the fall term throughout this territory and the Association Public Safety department has resumed distribution of safety posters and lesson data which each month of the school year reaches more than 13,000 classrooms.

Evidence that the constant emphasis placed on traffic safety through the efforts of school department executives ,teachers, and the automobile association is bearing fruit is provided by traffic accident figures recently announced. In 1920 a total of 476 lives of persons under 20 years old, including many of school age, were lost in motor vehicle accidents in California. In 1930 the figure dropped to 317. This represents a saving of 159 lives, or 33.4 per cent, in spite of increases in school registration and in the number of automobiles operating on the streets and highways.

Safety lesson material issued by the automobile association for use in the schools during September is based on the theme that children who remembered their safety instruction during vacation time returned to school uninjured, in contrast to those who ignored or forgot to practice what they had learned.

Another important safety activity in schools is the resuming of duty by more than 5,000 boys who are members of the School Traffic Patrol in this area. These efficient groups of junior traffic officers safeguard their schoolmates at the crossings near schools. Organized by the automobile association with the assistance of police and school officials, the traffic patrol is credited with an important part in the decrease of traffic casualties among children.

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FRENCH CORRAL NEWS

The middle of September, and yet no rain! We were all ready for it last night, but morning dawns dry and dusty and smoky as ever.

Hunters are ready and peaceful life for deer is ended for awhile.

We are happy to state that our school attendance is increasing each week and we believe there is now an attendance of 14 pupils.

Mrs. A. Browning took her little son Melvin to Nevada City Tuesday. The little fellow had an infected hand, and the doctor found it necessary to give an anesthetic to lance the member. She returned to her home Friday with the little boy who is feeling all right again.

Mr. E. De Prati, our revered Civil War Veteran, returned to his home in French Corral after a pleasant visit with friends in Nevada City and Grass Valley.

Mrs. W. Culan accompanied Mrs. E. Schwartz to Grass Valley Thursday evening.

Miss Emily Davis, school nurse, made a visit to French Corral Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon returned to their home in San Francisco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. May returned to French Corral Wednesday. This is their first visit to this place since they suffered the loss of their home by fire in July.

Captain Murry of the Salvation Army in Grass Valley was on a collecting trip through this section Wednesday.

F. T. Lidyard and Miss Briggs visited this section Sunday. Mr. Lidyard is a representative of the Grass Valley branch of the Building & Loan Association.

During her stay in Grass aVlley last week, Mrs. J. W. Culver met with an accident. Her foot turning suddenly caused her to fall and the result was a sprained ankle. It will probably be some time before she is able to walk around.

So closely associated in life, it would seem that even death could not long separate them, and again the shadow of its gloom has overcast the entire community when the close friend and companion of the late Henry C. Schroeder was called to his eternal rest. Edward C. Morgan, so well known and beloved by all in our county, has answered the final summons.

Miss Thresa O'Connor of Birchville was a Friday visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dalberry and children had business in Nevada City and Grass Valley, Saturday.

Mrs. E. Sutherland and daughter, Barbara, and son, Richard, accompanied Mrs. Schwartz to Grass Valley, Friday. The party attended the state fair at Sacramento, Saturday. They returned to their home in French Corral, Monday, all but Miss Barbara, who remained in Nevada City to attend high school where she is this year a senior.

Wesley M. Bean of aSn Francisco arrived in French Corral Sunday afternoon, where he will visit with friends during the week. Mr. Bean is a nativeof Nevada City in which place his childhood days were spent. He will visit with friends there before his return to this city. While we will see him no more the memory of this good man will ever remain. We all keenly share the grief of his relatives.

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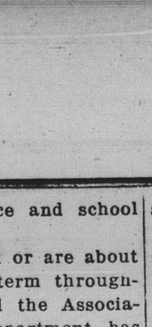

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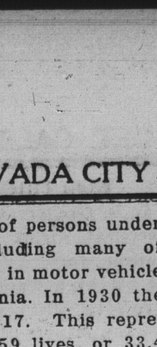

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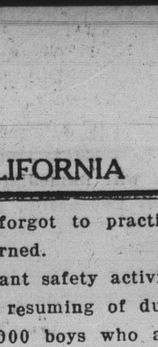

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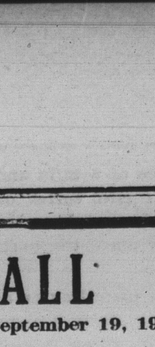

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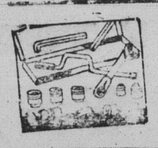

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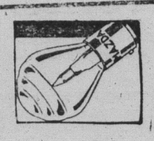

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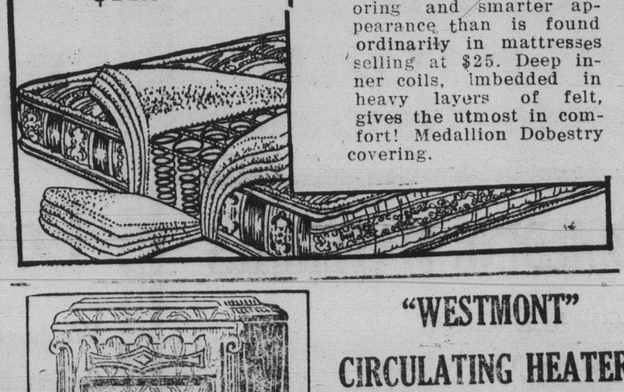

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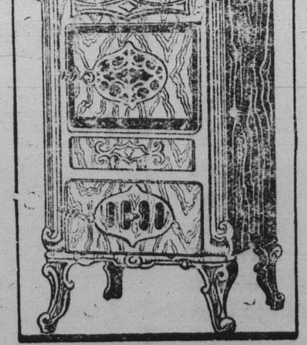

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CONG. ENGELBRIGHT SPEAKS AT AUBURN H. S.

Congressman Harry L. Engelbright spoke to the assembly at the Auburn high school on the "Constitution of Today."

Congressman and Mrs. Engelbright plan to leave early next week on a tour of the northern part of the district. He also plans to visit Inyo and Mono counties in the southern part of the district before returning to his duties at congress. These two counties were added last spring to the congressman's already large district and while the population of these two counties are very small they are none the less important to the congressman and will receive the same consideration and representation as the more thickly populated counties.

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DR. HARRY MARSH WEDS TEXAS GIRL AT RENO

Dr. Harry N. Marsh, Grass Valley physician and surgeon, was married Sunday in Reno to Miss Helen Steinruger of San Antonio, Texas. Dr. Marsh came to Grass Valley over a year ago from San Antonio and has proved very popular. They will make their home on Townsend street upon their return to Grass Valley.

SHWER GIVEN TO POPULAR YOUNG LADY

Miss Ruth Smith, whose marriage to Jack Howard of Alleghany will take place within the next month, was the motive of a delightful surprise party given Sunday afternoon by the Misses Lois and Bernice Eden at the Eden home. The honored guest was the recipient of an artistic basket filled with beautiful and useful gifts for the hope chest of the prospective bride. Those present were: Misses Ovaline Florin of Spokane, Mariam Sawyer, Marie Young, Ann Williams, Mary Jones, Olga Pegalia, Geraldine Larsen, Isabel Flynn, Frieda Pitz, Cecilia Genasci, Gertrude Sawyer, Thelma Boreham, Bernice Coughlan, the honored guest and Lois and Bernice Eden.

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ENGELBRIGHTS RETURN FROM LOS ANGELES FIESTA

Congressman and Mrs. H. L. Engelbright returned Sunday by motor from Los Angeles where they enjoyed the Fiesta festivities. Congressman Engelbright appeared in the parade with the state and national officials and was the ranking congressman attending the Fiesta. They were in the reviewing stand when the Donner Monument float passed and gave their town people a rousing cheer.

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ALASKAN OPERATOR TO OPEN PLACER PROPERTY

SAN ANDREAS, Calif., Sept. 17.—(Exclusive)—In association with Mr. Samuel Grauman of Los Angeles and A. Frederick Erickson of San Francisco, Jafet Lindeberg, widely known as a successful Alaskan mine operator, has resumed on an extensive scale the development of the 62-acre placer property of the Douglas Flat Gold Mining company, about three miles southwest of Murphys, recently taken over under lease and bond. The trio has also acquired under like arrangement from John Valente and David Copella two additional tracts of land totalling 48 acres and adjoining on the southwest the Douglas Flat estate. The combined areas aggregate 110 acres and cover for a distance of a mile and a quarter the Central Hill series of ancient river channels, notable producers of placer gold since the early days of California.

After installing an additional pump of 500 gallons per minute capacity and all other equipment required for expeditious and economical operations, Mr. Lindberg has put three shifts of miners to work deepening the two-compartment vertical shaft on the Douglar Flat property. This shaft revealed the bedrock at a depth of 98 feet. Pay gravel was simultaneously found by the previous operators, who, finding the bedrock dipping to the west on a 45-degree angle, continued the shaft down to the 129-foot point. At that depth the bedrock was found to be still dipping sharply and a heavy flow of water was encountered.

The present operators are continuing the shaft down from the 129-foot point an additional 65 feet, which will give the bore a total vertical depth of 194 feet from the surface. When the new objective point is reached, a crosscut, it is stated, will be extended to determine the dip of the bedrock at that horizon. If found favorable for lateral exploration, a drift will be advanced 750 feet northeasterly on bedrock to connect with the old workings of the adjoining Baldhead mine, which, according to reports, yielded prodigiously in placer gold nearly a half century ago. A pump of 350 gallons capacity on the 129-foot level of the shaft is at present lifting 325 gallons of water a minute to the surface, it is stated. The 500-gallon pump has been placed in position for emergency us and to keep the shaft free of water during current sinking operations. In addition to its complete mining equipment, the property has a gravel washing mill capable of handling from 240 to 350 tons daily. All equipment is electrically operated.

Under a lease and bond from the Taylor estate of Stockton and Poe estate of San Andreas, Joseph E. King and Los Angeles associates have acquired the Petticoat mine at Railroad Flat, 15 miles northeast of Mokelumne Hill, which in the early days of California was operated by the late John W. Mackay. The property has been idle for about 20 years. It is announced that the new operators will immediately unwater and repair two shafts, 190 feet and 200 feet in depth, respectively, on the north and south sections of the property, with a view to resuming development work on a large scale.

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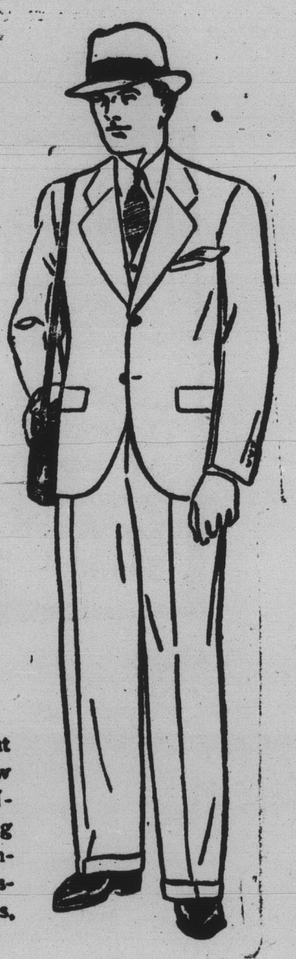

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